Exhibit 9

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF UTAH

AARON JAMES and TIFFANY JAMES, Heirs and Proposed Personal Representatives of the Estate of Zane James,

Plaintiffs,

VS.

CASEY DAVIES, and COTTONWOOD HEIGHTS;

Defendants.

DECLARATION OF J. SCOTT BRACKEN

Case No. 2:19CV341 HCN DBP

Judge Howard C. Nielson, Jr. Magistrate Judge Dustin B. Pead

J. SCOTT BRACKEN declares as follows:

- 1. I am over the age of eighteen and have personal knowledge of the following.
- 2. I am a member of the Cottonwood Heights City Council, representing Council District 2. I have held that office since 2005.
- 3. I have not seen any video footage (body camera, dash camera, etc.) of the actual shooting of Zane James (as opposed to video footage following the shooting, including post-shooting response).
- 4. I did not speak to Tiffany James on August 4, 2020. In fact, I do not recall ever having spoken with Tiffany James.
- 5. I have never told Ms. James that Cottonwood Heights has or had video footage of the actual shooting of Zane James. I am not aware of any such footage and do *not* believe such footage exists.

I declare under criminal penalty under the law of Utah that the foregoing is true and correct.

DATED this 13th day of August, 2020, in Salt Lake County, Utah.

Scott Bracken